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## AMENDMENTS TO THE CLAIMS

This listing of claims will replace all prior versions, and listings, of claims in the application:

## Complete Listing of Claims:

- 1-33. (Cancelled)
- 34. (Currently Amended) An The antimicrobial composition of claim-33, for treating microorganisms selected from the group consisting of free-living microorganisms, parasitic microorganisms, adherent microorganisms, biofilms, and combinations thereof, comprising:

a salt of pyrithione; and

a water soluble zinc metal salt;

wherein said salt of pytithione is sodium pyrithione and said zinc metal salt is selected from the group consisting of zinc chloride, zinc sulfate, and combinations thereof and the weight ratio of said water-soluble zinc metal salt to said salt of pyrithione is in the range from about 1:100 to about 1:10, and wherein said composition additionally comprises an alkanolamine.

## 35-44 (Cancelled)

45. (Currently Amended) An antimicrobial composition, comprising:

pyrithione or a pyrithione complex; and

a zinc source selected from the group consisting of zinc salts, zinc oxides, zinc

hydroxides, and combinations thereof;

wherein the weight ratio of said zinc source to said pyrithione or said pyrithione complex is present in a ratio of from 1:100 to 1:10 1:1, and wherein said composition additionally comprises alkanolamine.

46-55 (Cancelled)

56. (Previously Presented) An antimicrobial composition, comprising: pyrithione or a pyrithione complex; and a zinc source selected from the group consisting of zinc salts, zinc oxides, zinc hydroxides, and combinations thereof, wherein the weight ratio of said zinc source to said pyrithione or said pyrithione complex is present in a ratio from 1:100 to 1:10, said antimicrobial compositions being free of thiazolinone,

said antimicrobial composition additionally comprises an organic solvent, wherein said organic solvent is an alkanolamine.

57-59 (Cancelled)